Runway 10/28 Runway Safety Area Project



Conceptual Runway 10 alternatives, west end of runway

- Close Silvernail Road. Traffic studies will be done to determine the impact.
- Reroute Silvernail Road to the west to provide required safety areas.
- Reduce runway length by about 700 feet. This could exclude many types of aircraft and thus negatively impact the local economy.
- Establish declared distances. This would shorten the runway length for certain aircraft operations.
- Construct a tunnel for Silvernail Road. Costs and impacts during construction will be determined.
- Install an Engineered Material Arresting System (EMAS). This material has been used at a few large commercial airline airports.

EMAS





Other alternatives would be to:

- Request the FAA to continue to waive the RSA criteria. This is contrary to FAA's current policy.
- Shift the runway to the east to provide a safety area. The impact will have to be studied.
- A combination of any of the above.